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<b>REPLY/AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL</b>	Attorney Docket No.	1134.1271DIV	
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	First Named Inventor	Hiroyuki KUROKAWA	
	Group Art Unit	2612	
AMOUNT ENCLOSED	1020.00	Examiner Name	Kelly L. Jerabek

**FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 12/08/04)**

CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	6	- 20 =	0	X \$ 50.00 =	\$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	3	- 3 =	0	X \$ 200.00 =	0.00
Since an Official Action set an original due date of <u>October 14, 2004</u> , petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$120)); (2 months (\$450)); (3 months (\$1,020)); (4 months (\$1,590)); (5 months (\$2,160)):					1020.00
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This is responsive to the Office Action mailed July 14, 2004, having a shortened period for response set to expire on October 14, 2004. A petition and fee for a three-month Extension of Time is enclosed, thereby extending the response period to January 14, 2005.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.

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